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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
GROUP ART UNIT 2856**

**PATENT
36856.837**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Kazuhiro EBARA et al.	Art Unit: 2856	RECEIVED FEB 26 2004
Serial No.: 10/040,834		
Filed: January 7, 2002	Examiner: J. Hanley	
Title: VIBRATING GYROSCOPE AND TEMPERATURE-DRIFT ADJUSTING METHOD THEREFOR		

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 21, 2003, the period for response to which has been extended to February 21, 2004, by the accompanying Petition for a ONE-month Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- ☐ **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page of this paper.
- ☒ **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- ☐ **Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet. An **Appendix** including the amended drawing figures is attached following page of this paper.
- ☒ **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.

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